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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 7444

BILL NUMBER: HB 1176

NOTE PREPARED: Jan 28, 2003

BILL AMENDED: Jan 27, 2003

SUBJECT: Continuing Education for Architects.

FIRST AUTHOR: Rep. Kuzman

FIRST SPONSOR: Sen. Server

BILL STATUS: As Passed - House

FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL
DEDICATED
FEDERAL

IMPACT: State

Summary of Legislation: (Amended) This bill permits the Board of Registration for Architects and Landscape Architects to adopt rules to require continuing education for architects and landscape architects. It also increases continuing education requirements for auctioneers.

Effective Date: July 1, 2003.

Explanation of State Expenditures: This bill may require the eight-member Board of Registration for Architects and Landscape Architects to meet more frequently to develop rules for continuing education and training for architects and landscape architects. The estimated cost per meeting is \$725. The Board may, but is not required, to adopt rules. Total cost is dependent upon whether the Board elects to adopt rules for continuing education and the specific requirements chosen by the Board.

If an additional meeting of the Auctioneer Commission is needed to consider the changes required by this bill, the additional cost to the Commission is estimated to be approximately \$437.

Background: Members of the Board or Commission are entitled to travel expenses and/or salary per diem. Lay members who are not state employees are entitled to \$50 per diem as well as \$0.28 per mile for travel expenses, to be paid from executive agency appropriations. Members of the Board or Commission who are state employees are also entitled to \$0.28 per mile for travel expenses, to be paid from executive agency appropriations.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected: Professional Licensing Agency.

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources:

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